

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

In re: Application Pursuant to
28 U.S.C. § 1782 of

FARHAD AZIMA

Petitioner,

v.

AMIR HANDJANI

Respondent.

No. 21 mc-00501-PGG

**DECLARATION IN SUPPORT OF PETITIONER’S MOTION TO FILE
SUPPLEMENTAL MATERIALS IN SUPPORT OF
APPLICATION FOR ORDER TO TAKE DISCOVERY PURSUANT TO 28 U.S.C. § 1782**

I, Dominic Holden, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, do hereby declare under penalty of perjury the following:

1. I am a partner in Burlingtons Legal LLP, an English law firm that represents Farhad Azima in pending litigation in London. That case is *Farhad Azima -v- Ras Al Khaimah Investment Authority* (“*RAKIA*”), *Stuart Page, Neil Gerrard, Dechert LLP and James Buchanan* – HC-2016-002798 (Business and Property Courts of England and Wales) (the “English Proceedings”).

2. I submit this declaration (“the Declaration”) in support of Petitioner’s Motion to File Supplemental Materials in Support of Application for Order to Take Discovery Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1782.

3. I attach hereto as Exhibit 1 a true and correct copy of Mr. Azima’s Grounds of the Proposed Appellant’s Application to Rely on New Evidence filed in the Supreme Court of the United Kingdom in *Farhad Azima v. Ras Al Khaimah Investment Authority*, UKSC Ref No: 2021/0084.

4. I attach hereto as Exhibit 2 a true and correct copy of an affidavit of Stuart Page filed in support of Mr. Azima's Application to Rely on New Evidence.

5. I attach hereto as Exhibit 3 a true and correct copy of a list of telephone used by Neil Gerrard and others. This list was filed in *Karam Salah Al Din Awni Al Sadeq v. Dechert LLP, Neil Gerrard, David Hughes, and Caroline Black*, Claim No.: QB-2020-003142.

Executed on 12th day of January, 2021.

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